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In re the Application of: **YABUKI, Shuichi et al.**

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Examiner: **YUAN Dah Wei D.**

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For: **TERMINAL STRUCTURE OF STORAGE BATTERY**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **September 10, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as follows: